Energy and Air Quality Advisory Committee (EAQAC) Wednesday, June 3, 2015 at 7:00pm "Fishbowl" Conference Room DEP, 255 Rockville Pike, Ste 120

Members present: Foroud Arsanjani, Jamie Pierce, Linda Tsang, Kavita Vaidyanathan, Reuven Walder,

Fred Booth, David Kathan

Staff: Stan Edwards, Michelle Vigen

## **Draft Agenda**

- 1. Welcome/Introductions
- 2. Approve Agenda
- 3. Approve Minutes April meeting notes (May meeting did not have Quorum) APPROVED
- 4. Updates
  - a. Follow-up to County Executive (Foroud/Bob/Reuven) Sent 5/18
  - **b.** Energy (Reuven)
    - i. Home Energy Score conversation MEA, MD SEP (Kavita) Had a conference call with DOE about HES, best route is to advocate for HES through existing utility programs, Michelle provided an update that the regional MLS (MRIS) will he hosting "green fields" including the HES, Michelle spoke with MEA and together are engaging utilities in a conversation about HES. SEP dollars are operational – most programming dollars come from RGGI.
    - ii. Energy Coach letter status? Reuven to update, send around.
  - **c.** Air Radon Education (Linda) *Will be finishing research on education avenues, focus on consumer education. The group discussed test kits being made available at the time of sale, providing training for DPS on inspection of radon systems.*
  - **d.** Review of current energy legislation on the books (Chap 3 and 18) *No action*
- **5.** Subcommittee Meeting Time *No action*
- **6.** 2015 Goals/Benchmarks for Committee Progress (Foroud) *Discussed proposal to set committee goals, timelines, and defined initiatives.*
- 7. Staff and Member Announcements
  - a. Update on Utility Merger MD approved, pending DC approval.

Other updates: New Energy Program Manager has started, Michelle read an update from Stephanie about the Rockville Solar Co-op, EAQAC Vacancies to be posted soon

- 8. Open Forum/Public Comment
- 9. Next Meeting: July 1, 2015 at 7pm